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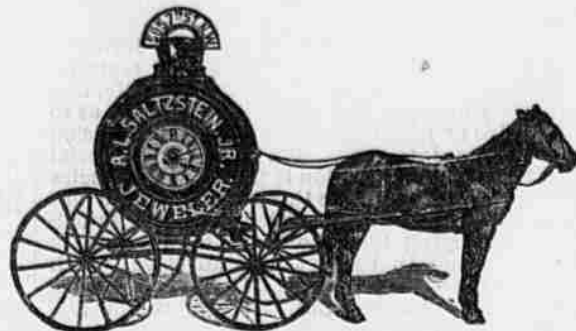
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A LITTLE NONSENSE.

GOOD THINGS WINNOVED FROM THE WIT OF THE WEEK.

What the Funny Men Find to Say in Their Papers—Quips and Cranks on All Sorts of Subjects.

The favorite plant of the political worker is the itching palm.

The reason why a cow wears horns is because she's got two.

Autumn leaves are waning. Now is the time to wax them.

A tariff on books must necessarily be in the line of lore duties.

"What did you think of the policeman who arrested you?"

"Oh, I was quite taken up by him."

This is the season of the year when the leaves begin to turn rapidly, particularly the leaves of the Recorder's marriage license book.

Fig—What kind of fish are these?

Dealer—Weakfish.

Fig—I'll be hanged if they smell that way.

Queen Victoria—Albert Edward, you're too cross to-day to talk to.

Prince of Wales (significantly)—No cross no crown.

We are expecting every day to hear the Free Press say that hog lard would be much cheaper if there was no duty on pig iron.—Detroit Tribune.

A number of New York medical practitioners have organized the "Physicians' Musical Club."

Each member should compose some fresh air for the sick-room.

Mrs. Bingo—Oh, Mr. Jagway, do be careful of the fly paper.

Jagway (rising hastily)—Too late. I'm afraid I've spoiled it.

Scribbler—I've just published another novel, Johnson. You ought to lose no time reading it.

Johnson—Thanks for the hint, old man. I'll be careful not to read it.

McCorkle—They say that Snooper finds it difficult to keep his head above water.

McCrackie—That does not surprise me at all. He is a native of Kentucky.

Landlady—Mr. McGinnis, may I ask what you are trying to find in that cream pitcher?

Boarder—I am trying, Mrs. Irons, to rescue an unfortunate fly from a watery grave.

"Why do you let poverty stand between us? I cannot give you up."

"If that was all you couldn't give me, I might relent. As it is, I'll be a neighbor to you."

He—What are you listening so intently for, dearest? Can you hear my heart throb?

She—I don't know, Arthur, dear, whether it's your heart or that new necktie you've got on that I hear.

Employer (warningly)—I am informed, sir, that you attend horse races and bet on them.

Clerk (coolly)—I won a thousand dollars last week.

Employer (excitedly)—Where d'ye get y'r tip?

"My object in calling this evening," he began, with a nervous tremble of his chin, "was to ask you, Katie—I may call you Katie, may I not?"

"Certainly, Mr. Longripe," said the sweet young girl; "all of papa's elderly friends call me Katie."

And he said nothing further about his object in calling.

Little James had been imparting to the minister the important and cheerful information that his father had got a new set of false teeth.

"Indeed, James?" replied the minister, indulgently; "and what will he do with the old set?"

"Oh, I s'pose," replied little James, "they'll cut 'em down and make me wear 'em."

"Jim Blaine, come out and help us," cried McKinley in despair.

"There's a chill of cold days dawning in the bleak Ohio air.

Lift the flood-gates, talk in oceans, take out ev'ry gag and cork.

But for Heaven's sake don't mention—not a word of wheat or pork."

Intelligent Composer—That new reporter spells victuals, "v-i-t-a-l-s."

Foreman—Yes, he's fresh; make 'er right, and dump 'er here; want to go to press in just three minutes.

And this was what the public read when the paper was issued: "The verdict of the coroner's jury was that the deceased came to his death from the effects of a gunshot wound in the victuals."

INTERESTING CORRESPONDENCE

A Much Esteemed Employee of Lansburgh & Bro. Resigns Because of Ill-Health.

It speaks well for the employees who have the personal regard as well as the confidence of the employers, and even better for the employers who have the regard of their employees. It shows they do not allow the pressure of business and the anxiety for money-making to harden their hearts, and that amid all the bustle and struggle for wealth they regard the feelings of those whom they call in to assist them in their work. An instance of the mutual esteem and regard which grows up between employer and employé is shown in the following correspondence, which will be read with interest by thousands of Washington people who know well and favorably both parties to it:

Messrs. Lansburgh & Bro.:

DEAR FRIENDS: My fast falling health compels the performance of the present painful duty of tendering to you my resignation of the position I have held in your well-known establishment for the last twenty years, during which time I have been the recipient of your esteem, generosity, and thoughtful kindness, which I have fully appreciated, and for the same, I beg you, kind friends, to accept the best thanks my heart can offer.

As in the past I have ever tried to further your interests to the best of my ability, so be assured that in the future, with my grateful thanks for your many kindnesses, you shall have also, dear friends, my sincere and best wishes for your happiness and prosperity.

MARIA W. HARRAUGH.

DEAR MISS MARIA: Your letter of resignation to hand. We regret deeply the fact that after an uninterrupted period of good-will and service that you must sever your connection with us. It pains us all the more since we learn that ill-health renders this step necessary. To have you leave under ordinary circumstances would be sufficient reason for us to feel sorry, but that the loss of your health makes this necessary we deplore all the more.

It is gratifying to know that, though you leave our employ, we will still retain your good-will and esteem. You may feel assured that during your twenty years of service you have endeared yourself to us so as to make us feel toward you, not as an employé, but as one of our family.

You have shown yourself at all times one of our most reliable, willing, and trustworthy employes.

Not alone will we miss you, but the rest of your associates will likewise regret that you will no longer be one of them.

We hope and trust that you will soon be restored to perfect health, and whenever you feel the need of friends do not hesitate for a moment to call on us. Yours, sincerely,

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200 Dozen English Jams and Marmalades.

100 Cases Hungarian Wines and Champagnes.

200 Cases Clarets, Rhine Wines, Sauternes, and Burgundies.

50 Cases Duminy Champagne.

100 Dozen Sharp's Tomatoes, in Glass.

100 Dozen Extra Small Sifted Peas.

50 Dozen White Asparagus, in Glass and Tins.

150 Cases Finest Olive Oil.

25 Cases Extra Choice French Mushrooms.

25 Cases Extra Choice French Peas.

25 Cases German and French Preserves.

50 Cases Vegetables and Fruit, in Glass.

100 Cases Italian Macaroni.

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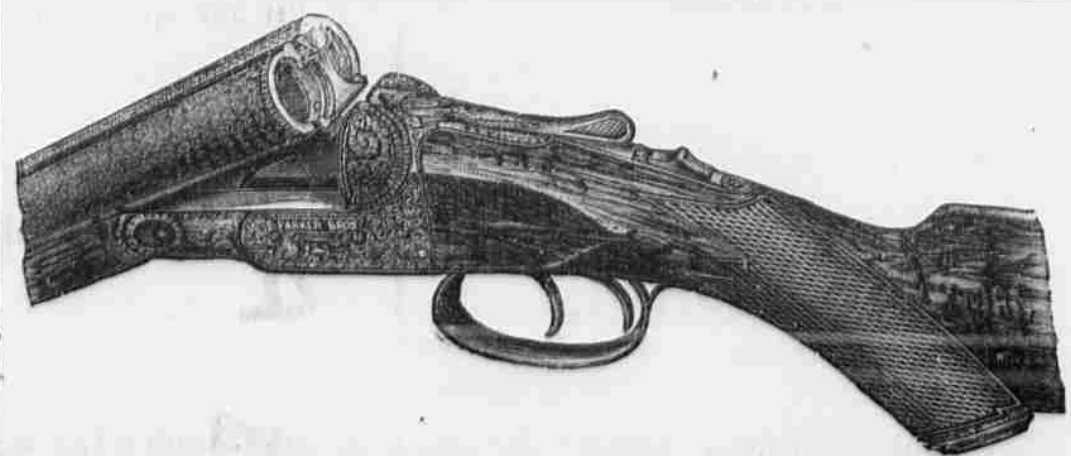
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